

REMARKS

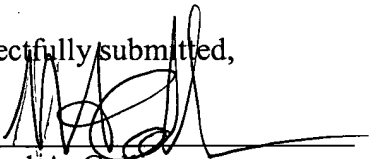
Applicants elect Group I, Claims 1-47 and 49-52, as amended, for prosecution without traverse. Claim 48 has been cancelled, and Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application on any cancelled subject matter. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request examination of all of the pending claims in the present application.

Applicants further submit that the claims are in condition for allowance and request that the Examiner so indicate and issue a notice of allowability and that the application be passed to issue.

It is believed that this response is a complete reply to the restriction requirement and thus Applicants respectfully request that prosecution proceed. Should the Examiner have any questions which might be amenable to a telephone interview, the Examiner is invited to contact undersigned counsel to discuss such issues. If any additional fee is required in conjunction with this response, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our deposit account No. 22-0261, and notify undersigned counsel accordingly.

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Respectfully submitted,

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